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Directors, together with a Statement of Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and electing will be CLOSED from FRIDAY, the 29th January to TUESDAY, the 9th Feb., 1897, will be OLOSED from the 17th to 30th

By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLD.

Hongkong, January 12, 1897.

THE DEVONTAN SOCIETY. THE ANNUAL MEETING DINNER of the above Society will be held at the Honoxone Olus, on WEDNESDAY, the 10th February. Members of the Society desirous of attending the Dinner are requested to notify the undersigned on or before SATURDAY, the 6th February.

R. K. LEIGH, Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, January 20, 1897.

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By Order of the Board of Directors, A. SHELTON HOOPER, Secretary to the Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Co., Ld.;
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NUTICE TO MARINERS. No. 66 (SPECIAL). OHINA SEA

SHANGHA! DISTRICT.

ATOTICE is hereby given that systematic carried on in the North or Shaweishan Channel for a period of four months, this entrance to the Yangize is now considered from of all artificial obstructions to unvigation, and the following mentioned buoys have been laid down to mark the Channel. DRINKWATER POINT BUOY :- A onical, 10-foot, red and black horizontally striped fairway buoy, aurmounted by a black apherical cage. From the buoy Shaweishan Lighthouse bears N. 86° E.,

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distant 122 miles. CHIYAO BANK BUOY :- A conical 8-foot, red buoy, with a black spherical cage, moored off the south-eastern sloow of Ch'i-yao Bank, to mark the star-board aide of the Channel entering from sec. From the buoy Drinkwater Point Survey-

ing Besson bears N., distant 21 miles.
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Apply to THE HONGKONG LAND INVEST-MENT & AGENCY Co., Lto. Mongkong, January 2, 1827.

To-day's Advertisements. HONGKONG ST. ANDREWS

SCOTOH CONCERT. THE CONCERT in Commemoration of the Birth of Robert Burns will be

SOCIETY.

Held in the Sr. Grouge's Hall, City Hall,

MONDAY, 25th Jan., at 9.15 p.m. PROGRAMME. Overture Macbeth, Hatton. There was a lad] was bornin Kyle.'

MR. J. GILCHRIST. Part-Song, ... Hail to the Obiol. 'My loveshe's but] a Lassie yet.1 MRS VALLINGS.

JARS. BLUE and WHITE FIGURE. FIVE Violin Solo, Benedictus, Mackenzie. MR. H. GOFFE. MR. D. K. SLIMAN. Song, Auld Robin Gray.' Mas GORDON: -INTERVAL OF TEN MINUTES.

Reminiscences of Scotland, F. Godfrey. ' A man's a mau MR. J. GILCHRIST. Song, Aftone Water.

MRs GORDON. Part-Song, ... Scots wha hae.' S'Forget me \ Alian Mac Intermezzo,... Not, Soug, Duncan Gray MRS VALLINGS.

. (Draw the Sword. Song, Scotland 1 MR D. K. SLIMAN. 'AULD LANG SYNE.'

With the kind permission of Colone Gordon and Officers, the Band of the West Yorkshire Regiment, under Band- Goods are landed. master BENTLEY, will play. Conductor of Part Songs, Mr. A. G. at 4 p.m., will be subject to rent.

Admission, Two Dollars. Seats may now be booked at Messrs. W ROBINSON & Co.'s Piano and Music Rooms Au Extra Car will leave for the Peak 10

HONGKONG ICE COMPANY,

MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the OFFICE of the Company 6th February, to receive a Statement of the Company's Account to the 31st December,

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED, from the 27th Instant to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY, TAIWANFOO

AND-TAKAO. The Co.'s Steamship The Co. a Steamanp

Thales,

Captain Douglas, will be
despatched for the above

Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Instant at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, January 22, 1897.

OHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SHANGHAL VIA SWATOW: . The Co.'s Steamship

Tamsui,
Captain Vaughan, wili on SUNDAY, the 24th Instant, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passago, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRF.

Hongkong, January 22, 1897. - 160 M. S. N. Co.

CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA. The Co.'s Steamship Sunakizno. Captein C. B. N. Doud,

above on TUESDAY, the 26th Instant, at 4 For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE Hongkong, January 22, 1897.

ORINA NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR PORT DARWIN, QUEENSLAND PORTS, SYDNEY & MELBOURNE

The Co,'s Steamship Changsha: Captain WILLIAMS, will be despatched on MON-DAY, the 1st February, at 4 p.m. The attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by this Steamer. First-class Salcon 2411 A -Refrigerating Chamber ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions during the entire voyage. A duly-qualified Surgeon is | Suite, and 62 Chinese. carried, and the Vessel is fitted throughout with Electric Light.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Agents. Hongkong, January 22, 1897.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL The Steamship Port Adelaids, will be despatched for the 100 Chinese.

5th February, 1897. S. S. Energia, to sail about 22nd Feb., 1897. S. S. Strathleven, to sail about 7th March, S. S. Macduff, to sail about 22nd March,

For Breight or Passage, apply to DODWELL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, January 89, 1897.

Vessels Advertised as Loading.

Destination.	Vendi.	Agents:	Date of Leaving
Australian Ports	Australian (a)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Jan. 23, Daylight
Australian Ports	Changaha (s)	Butterfield & Swire	Feb. 1, at 4 p.m.
Bremen & Ports of Cali	Prinz Heinrich (s)	Norddeutscher Lloyd.	Feb. 2, at.9 a.m.
Iloilo	Kweiyang (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Jan. 23, 4 p.m.
Japan		P. & O. S. N. Co	Jan. 29, at noon.
London		P. & O. S. N. Co	
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London, v. Ports of Call	Strathay (8)	NipponYussen Kaisha.	
London, v. Suez Canal	Myrmiden (1)	Butterfield & Swire	
London, v. Maraeilles.		P. & O. S. N. Co	About Jan. 26.
Manila		Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Jan. 23, daylight.
Manila		Butterfield & Swire	Jan. 26, at 4 p.m
Marsailles, v. Saigen.		Messageries Maritimes	Feb. 3, at noon.
New York, v. Suez Cana	Morven (a)	Shewan, Tomos & Co.	About Jan. 25.
New York, v. SuezCana	Port Adelaide (a)	Dodwell, Carlill & Co.	About Feb. 5.
New York	Penobacot	Arnhold Karberg &Co.	Quick despatch.
8. Francisco. v. Japa		Pacific Mail S. S. O.	Jan. 20, at noon,
S. Francisco v. Jana	B. Igio (8)	O. & G. S. S. Co	Feb. 4, at neon.
San Francisco.	Matterhorn	Malchera & Co.	Quick despatch,
San Francisco	Sumbawa	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	Quick despatch.
Shanghai	Rayonna (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Jan. 23.
S'hai, N'ki, K'be&Y'ma	Cauton (a)	P. & O. S. N. Co	About Jan. 26.
Shanghai via Bw tow.	Tamani (a)	Butterfield & Swire	Jan. 24. at 10 a.r.
S'rore, Penang & C'tt.	Suizan : (4)	Jarding Matheson&Co	Jan. 23, at 3 p.m
S'nore Havre & H'bure	Frigga (8)	Stemston & Co.	Jan. 28. daylight
Stow A'v T'fon Takan	Thales (a)	Donalas Laprail & Co.	Jan. 24. daylight
Tacoma (Wash.). de	Braemar (8)	Dodwall, Carlill & Co.	Fob. 9, at noon.
Vancoures (R (),) &	Empress o India (s	Canadran P'fic it Co	Feb. 17. at noon.
Victoria (BC) &c.	Monmouthshire (s)	Showan, Tomes & Co.	February 13.
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fo-day's Advertisements.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. THE PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL cheater, 0 bales Waste Siik; for Loudon, STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S

STEAMER BRINDISI. FROM BOMBAY AND STRAITS

MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-U named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and KOWLOON WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Godowns at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and delivery can be obtailed as soon as the

Goods not cleared by the 28th Instant, No Fire Insurance will be effected by the in any case Whatever. All Damaged Packages must be left the Godowns and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Company within ten days after the vessel's arrival here after which no Claims will be re-92 | cognised.

H. A. RITCHIE, Superintendent. Hongkong, January 22, 1897.

Not Responsible for Debts.

NTeither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :--

Colona, American barque, Captain C. M. Noves - Captain. FORT STUART, British ship, Captain Vanstone.—Standard Oil Co.

FRED. P. LETCHFIELD. American barque. Captain W. W. Hardy.—Order. STANFIELD, British barque, Captain Wil-

son. -- Master.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

January 21 :-Jacob Christensen, Norwegian steamer 1,088, Hansen Suigon Jan. 16, Rice .-MELCHERS & Co.

January 22 :-Sungkung, British stemmer, 994, C. B. N. Dodd Manila Jan, 19, General. - Butter FIELD & SWIRE. Brindisi, British steamer, 2,265, 7

Wickenden, Bombay Jan. 3, and Singapore 15, Cotton and Twist 3,644 tons. -P. & C. S. N. Co. Independent, German stenmer, 891, S.

Abrenkiel, Moji Jan. 16, Coal.-WIELER Morven, British aleamer, 2:569, E'll Amoy Jan. 21, General. - SHEWAN, TOMES

Kwang Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,505, R. Lincoln, Shanghai Jan. 19, General.-O.

Sullberg, German steamer, 782 T. Jessen. Haiphong January 19, General,-A. B.

DEPARTURES.

January 22 :-Singan, for Canton. Mathilde, for Hoihow. Wuoten, for Saigon. Formosa, for Swatow. Martha, for Singapore. Panered, for Rangoon. Porpoise, British eruiser, for Canton, Kong Beng, for Bangkok. Glenfallich, for Swatow, Laichsong, for Swatow. Hongkong, for Haiphong.

CLEARED. Else, for Singapore. Australian, for Macao and Sydney, &c. Velocity, for Shanghai.

Hailan, for Hoihow.

PASSENGERS: ARRIVED.

Per Sungkiang, from Mauila, Mr Bunt, Per Kwang Lee, from Shanghai, H.E. Wu Ting Fang (Minister to America) and Par Sullberg, from Haiphong, 5 Chinese,

Per Mathilds, for Hoihow, 50 Chinese. Per Wuotan, for Saigon, 6 Chinese. Per Formoso, for Swatow, 100 Chinese. Per G'enfalloch, for Swatow, 743 Chinese. Per Taichsong, for Swatow, 6 Chinese. TO DEFART.

Per Australian, for Sydney, &c., 18 Europeans and 18 Chinese. Per Hailan, for Hollow, 1 European and

EHIPPING REPORTS The British steamer Sungking reports ! Moderate N.E. winds and sea, fine weather, The British atonmer Brindin reports : Fine weather throughout, very moderate The British steamer Morten reports Fresh N.E. and N'ly winds and moderate for of an hour before; for mails for Europe, The Chinese steamer Kwang Las reports ! 2602 | Strong Northerly wind,

4 p.m. -Kuciyang loaves for Ilailo, Auctions. 2.30 p.m.-Austion of Old Chincas Por- STEAMERS PASSED SUEZ CANAL orlain, Embroideries and Curios, &c., at

TUESDAY, January 26 :--

MAMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Daylight. - Esmeralda leaves for Manila.

3 p.m. - Suitang leaves for Straits and

Mr Geo. P. Lammert's. General Memoranda. MONDAY, January 22 :--9.15 p.m. Scotch Concert at the City Hall.

lian Porta

Calcutta.

2.30 p.m. -Auction of Household Furniture, &c., at Mr J. M. Armstrong's. 9 p.m.-Meeting of Eothen Mark Lodge. Gunda per Steamer Caledonien unclaimed after Noon subject to rent. Goods por Medusa undelivered after this date subject to rent. EDNESDAY, January 27:-Transfer Books of The Hongkong Ice

Oc., Ld., from this date to 6th Feb. both days inclusive. FRUESDAY, January 28:-3 p.m - Letting of Lots for Matsheds, near the Hace Course.

p.m.-Convocation of Victoria Chap-Goods per Brindisi not cleared after p.m. subject to rent. Goods per Copack undelivered after this date subject to rent.

1 case igars from Manila, 903 phgs. Tea Transfer Books of The Kowloon Land and from Foochow, 500 pkgs. Tea In Transit, Building Co., Ld., from this date to 9th February, (both days inclusive). Congon, 20 boxes Tea, containing 420 SATURDAY, JADUARY 30 :--Ibs, Scruted Orange Pekoe, 9 cases China-Noon,-Meeting of the Hongkong, Canwhom and M.oao Steamboat Company, Limited, at the Company's Office, No.

FRIDAY, January 29 :-

Canes, 100 bales Waste Silk, 91 rolls Mate 18, Bank Buildings, Queen's Rand Central. For London, 5 cases Cigars and 1 case TURDAY, February 6:-Noon,-Meeting of The Hongkong Joe Hatsfrom Manila, 54 packages Tes and 251 Co., Ld., at the Company's Office, boxes Lychers from Foothow, 980 boxes

Pedders Street. TUESDAY, February 9 :--Noon.-Meeting of The Kowloon Land and Building Co., Ld., at the Company's Office, Victoria Buildings.

Exchange Honokono, January 22, 1897. In London-

Bank, Wire, ... 2/18 30 days' sight, ... 2/1: 4 months sight, ... 2/1 Oredite, 4 ,, 2/13 Documentary, 4 months' sights, ... 2/2 On Paris— On demand, 2.67 Credits, 4 months' sight, ... 2.72 On Berlin-Demand ... 2.16 On Now York-On demand, ... 513 Credits, 60 days' sight, 53 On Bombay-On demand, On Calcutta-On demand, ... 169½ On Shanghai-Per Suisang, at 2 p.m., on Saturday, the On demand, 728

30 days' sight, (private paper) ... 73 Gold Leaf, 100 fine, (per tael)... \$48.60 Sovereigns (Bank's buying rate) \$ 9.30 Silver (per ez.) ... 29 1d.

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S WATSON & Co., LIMITED THE HONGKOMG DISPRISARY Houseway, July 4, 1894.

The publication of this issue commenced et 5,55 p.m. Daylight .- Australian leaves for Austra-

The China Manil.

HONGKONG, BRIDAY, JANUARY 22, 1807.

LOCAL AND GENERAL

(SUPPLIED THROUGH REUTER.) OTTWARD BOUND :- Romney, Dec. 8th; Bullmouth, Jens-Meinich, 15th; Priam, Diomed, Adour, 18th; Tellus, Bennighr, Kirkdale, Normaniste, Glenurtney, Oopack, 29th ; Kriemhild, Jan. 1st; Maria Rickmers, Obi, Patroclus, Sikh, Oceanien, Jan. 5th; Benvenue, Java, Pingsuey, Templar, 8th; Dardanus, Ningchow, Irene. 19th.

IOMEWARD BOUND :- Dorothea Rickmers, Doc. 12th; Manila, Mogul, 15th Oanfa 23rd; Gerda, Benvoirlich Cororie 29th; Ernest Simons, Japan, Jan. 5th Claverhill, 8th Jan.; Aden, 12th; Thekla, 19th.

The P. & O. Co.'s s. s. Ravenna, with the ENGLISH MAIL of 25th Dec. left Singapore on Sunday, the 17th Jan., at I p.m., and may be expected here on about Saturday, the 23rd Jan. This Packet brings replies to letters desputched from Hongkong on the 19th

The O. & O. s. s. Belgic, with the AMERICAN MAIL of Dec. 29th, left Yokohama on Tuesday, 19th Jan.; at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Tuesday, the 26th Jan. The Empress of India arrived at Nagasaki at 8 a.m., on Jan. 21, and left at 5 p.m., for Shanghai and Hongkohg.

The U. & O. s. s. Peru, with mails, &c., left

San Francisco for this port via Hono-

Iulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kohe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the 7th The O. & O. s. s. Coptic, with mails &c., left San Francisco for this port, via Honolulu, Yokohama, Inland Sea, Kobe, Nagasaki and Shanghai, on the

Steamers Expected. The N. P. S. Co. chartered steamer Macduff, from Tacoma, arrived at Yoko-

hama on the 12th Jan.

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Nester, from Liverpool, left Singapore on the morning of 17th Jan., and may be expected here on or about the 23rd Jan. The P. & O. s. s. Canton left Singapore for this port on the 19th Jan. at 7 a.m. The O. S. S. steamer Deucation is to leave Bornoo on the 21st Jan., and may be expected here on or about the 27th

The C. M. Co.'s steamer Taiman, from Australian ports, left Port Darwin on the 19th Jan., for this port, and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 29th Jan.

The C. M. Co.'s s. s. Pingsuey, from Glasgow and Liverpool, passed the Canal on the 8th Jan., and may be considered due at Singapore on or about the

The s. s. Monmouthshire left Victoria for Yokohama and China via Honolulu on the 30th Doc. The N. P. S. Co.'s s. s. Braemar left Tacoma for this port, via ports of call,

on the 1st January. Latest Advices. The N. G. I. s. s. Bisagno left Singapore on the 20th Jan. and may be expected

here on or about the 27th Jan.

The s. s. Arratoon Apear, from Calcutta, will leave Singapore for this port on the afternoon of Jan. 22.

Tur report of the Diocesan School will be found on the fifth page.

The German Lloyd mail steamer Bayern made the run from Hongkong to Singapore in 4 days 6 hours.

arrived from the north to-day, and will THE Bombay Artillery Volunteers have been doing excellent service during the plague epidemic, whitewashing and remov-

Roughton, the Commanding Officer, culogising their services and thanking them. THE Band of the West Yorkshire Regiment will play the following programme at the Cricket match to-morrow afternoon :-

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Pluie d'Or

Wm. Geo. Bentley, A.R.C.M., Bandmaster, Brawens the 11th and the 13th January, no less than four Spanish transports passed through Singapore having on board 10,000 soldiers for the Philippines. With such an augmentation to the force under his command, General Polavieja should be able to crush the rebellion very soon. The latest to pass through was the Magellaens (for-

merly the Cunard greyhound Alaska). city of subsidiary silver money. We are value than the products of their native mints. Considering the large profit from subsidiary coins, the Government might containing Aerated Waters as such Bottler, well dispute of some millions worth of them

VESSELS AT THE DOORS -At Resolver Club goal. The defect of last year however, has not been eradicated. The Con-Dante, Lekin, Calo, China, Kwaiyang, turion forwards are good at anything bus Michael Jebson. Correspondent Nariohang, Honan. shooting and any dub possessed of an PARTIES BARRE STOR SORTE STORE SERVICE A Section of Pictory

Ws would here call attention to the excellent programme of the Scotch Concert, published to-night in our advertising columns.

Te-Mornow afternoon, on the Happy Valley, in the second round for the Hongkong Football Challenge Shield, A Company, W.Y.R. will play D Company, W.Y.R. Kick-off at 4 p.m. Referee :- Mr A. E. M. Head, R.A.

THE YOROHAMA POISONING

CASE. CONFESSION BY THE ACCUSED. (Special Telegram from Our Own Correspondent).

Kone, Friday, Jan. 22. Mr Lowder, who is defending Mrs Carew, admitted that the accused wrote the letter addressed to Sir E. M. Satow, British Minister at Tokio, and signed 'A L. Prico.

The case for the Crown is closed.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS

[SUPPLIED TO THE 'USINA MAIL

THE REPORTED INDISPOSITION OF THE TSAR ---The reported illness of the Tsar is de-

THE HOUSE OF LORDS. The House of Lords has voted the address. Lord Salisbury, speaking upon it, said he was convinced that unless essential reforms were adopted, the doom of Turkey could not long be delayed. Referring to the Arbitration treaty between Great Britain and the United States, he said that it would not prevent war but would diminish the risks of it.

THE BENIN EXPEDITION. Major Rawson will command the expe-

MORE TROUBLE IN AFRICA.

Trouble has arisen in Gigunland. WEATHER NOTICE.

The following notice is issued from he Observatory :--On the 22nd at 11.25 a. Anticyclonic conditions prevail over China with a conaiderable increase of pressure on the coast. Gradients rather steep in the N. part of the China Sen. Forecast :- moderate to

fresh N.E. winds; cloudy, dull.

FOOTBALL. HONGHONG F. C. t. H. M. S. CENTURION. These teams met in the second round of the Football Shield Competition at the Happy Valley yesterday afternoon. The result was a draw, -one goal each. There were :

nearly 2000 spectators. The Club defended the Bowrington goal, with a slight wind behind them, and the Centos kicked off. The Club were the first to invade, but were gradually forced back. A neat pass from Looker gave Mayson, the Club centre, an opportunity of shooting, but the parting kick was very feeble... Mayeon speedily got to work again, dodged the opposing half-backs cleverly, and passed out to the right wing in the nick of time. Finding the pressure -too great the Cento back kicked out. Slade H. E. Wu Ting-fang (Ng Choy), the new shied in the ball, and the Club for-Chinese Minister to the United States, &c., wards swarmed round the Cento goal, and obtained a corner. Slade placed stay for some time with his Hongkong the ball well, but the Centos' speedy right wing rushed away with the ball. Looker checked them in full career, and returned well. The ball was skied in front of the Navy goal, and a better understanding amongst the Club forwards would have led to a point; but Logan recklessly ing patients and cutting the water connecshot over the cross-bar from short range. tions. Dr Weir has written to Major. The Centos had reason to be grateful for the relief. After long exchanges between the back divisions, the Clubman having the best of it, Slade put in some remarkably fine play, and it was only an unfortunate eward of 'banda' against them that avert-ed danger from the Navy goal. Logan came back to assist the halves, and there was some clever fencing on the Club left. The ball went behind, and Steele, the Centurion centre forward, took up the goalkick and executed a dashing dodgy run Wagner. down to the other end of the field. passing out to the right wing when he found the opposing backs too solicitous. Pinckney kicked back, but not strong enough, and Looker dashing up to his sasist ance, the Centos were obliged to part with the ball, sending it over the goal-line. Tho left wing now had a look in, giving Slade an anxious moment. Steele got possession, and made off in grand style for the goal,

and Pinckney made a very weak attempt to stop him; Steele, however, lost control of the hall and Gillingham rushed out to pick up, when Pinckney got in his way and again kicked feebly. It was Looker who got the ball away, passing across the field to the favoured Club left wing. Grayson was being carefully fed by Wr learn that there is again a great scar- the centre, the halves and goalkoeper; but the wing was just as carefully attended to by the Navy halves and the somewhat forcible informed that, on Thursday, a business right back. The Navy forwards made a man in the Colony endeavoured to obtain rush, and, overrunning the halves, they \$25 worth of small coins, but after spend-rushed out, missed the ball and fell. It ing some hours collecting small bundles he should have been an easy goal for the could only ultimately obtain \$10 worth; blue jackets, but one of them, forgetting This is not oreditable to the Government, hably off-side, and the Glub supporters.

Perhaps the Colonial Secretary will give rejoiced greatly. Grayson had several the matter his attention. The Government good runs, ably assisted by Logan, but the do not seem to have realised that once Hong. ing by week shooting. Hands against kong money gets into the interior of China the Centurion made the players bunch in is lost for ever so far as this Colony is nicely, but the ball went behind off one of concerned, as the natives heard up the his own side. The Course present for money knowing it to be of higher intrinsic some time, and Slade, Bessley, and Finckon one occasion bringing town two opposing forwards right in the mouth of goal, and Gillingham was thus able to clear Exclosions was great and organ on by their numerous and vonterous followers the flagship team kept up a series

peatedly in the ten minutes' play which Considering how often the ball was within ten yards of the goal, Gillingham handled the ball phenomenally seldom. Roweroft and Slade got the ball away, and in trying to stop the Club forwards the Centos conceded a corner. Pryce-Browne placed nicely, but Grayson handled and the free kick got the ball back to mid-field. After a spell of quiet play, the Centos invaded; but Pinckney, whose play improved, and who seldom made another mistake throughout the game, always kupt the mastery. A free-kick was negotiated by Pryce-Browne without suc-From a throw-in the assistant right of the Centurion passed to Staele, W. H. Whiting, Mr C. Ford, Mr Geo. who transferred the play to the other wing. A goal seemed certain, but Pinckney kept Piercy, Mr A. Findlay Smith, &c. his head and his place, and cleared. Anton now wakened up and put in one of the most brilliant runs of the day, taking the hall in an oblique line from right to left, concluding with a good shot; but he had handled the ball before parting company and the referee, Mr J. W. L Oliver, gave a free kick to the Contos. Their right wing nursed the ball down the. line, fairly bamboozling Pryce-Browne; with a clear goal before him, the | year 1896. assistant right passed to the outside man who was rushed down by Pinckney and just | 988. In 1895 the attendances had to a maximum in every subject; less than 50 own opinion, and I certainly must say that missed scoring. Here again the passing great extent recovered from the depletion obtained was reckoned a failure in any the Governing Body, with the concurrence wame was overdone | Mayson took up the of 1894; but in 1896, instead of a continu- subject; for a class-pass a boy had to pass I suppose of Dr Wright, to z considerable running, and passed out to Grayson, and lance of this improvement, there was a in half the subjects offered; i.e. in the pains to introduce into this College some the Cento goalkeoper had to use his hands. relapse partly due to the recurrence of Upper School passes in 7 subjects, in 5 in reforms I recommended last year. The There was a good deal of vigorous play bubonic plague. There was however no the Lower School, and in 3 in the Prepara- have. I think, simplified the aims and just about this time. Both goals were evidence of panic, such as was inanifest in tory, were required, which is sufficiently character of this institution by abolishing visited, Gillingham having to kick out; '94, the absence of several boys being at- savere. The general result of the examina- the Chinese teaching in the College, and and then Looker and Slade put in some tributable to the removal of families from tion is far above the average; in fact, I making this school what I may call a purely remarkably fine half-back play, completely the colony to escape sanitary precautions, should-have been justified in characterising English school, i.e. to give education to Rowcroft, whose chances had been few, reported early in the year to the Inspector; for extreme weakness in Class. I, B and think, to decide whether this alteration. made a run on his own account and was of Schools by several School Managers: the two lowest non-Chinese sections. The making as straight for the goal as the The admissions and re-admissions were in total number examined was 517 boys, of needle to the pole, when a Cento deliber- cach quarter of the year quite up to the whom 469 or 90 per cent. passed, repreately tripped him. The free-kick was average; which would be inconsistent with sented as follows in the three-main seccompensation, Looker kicking behind. A caution from the referee would same fear of Hongkong as a player centre not have been amiss. At half-time, no- that they had in 1894. thing had been scored.

assistance of Pryce-Browne and Pinckney. were negotiated safely. Still the Contos standing about listlessly or making spasmothreehalf-backs, especially Slade, and Pinck- | and two Monitors. ney, the Club must have come to grief, for | 3. -On the recommendation of the Gohad as the Cento forwards were in front of verning Body, the section known as Chigoal they must have got home ones in a way | nese School (i.e., the classes where for 36 | joined as a reward for sheer persistency. After a | years Chinese hoys were taught to compose lot of dodging the Cento right wing had the | in their native language, and to read and goal at their mercy, but Slade rushed up in | understand their native literature) was sheer desperation from the opposite side of abelished. By the removal of these ten the field and saved-mirroulously. Anton | hours a week devoted to the study of Chinow came to the assistance of the back di- | nest by the Lower and Preparatory Schools. vision, and a neat pass across to Grayson | an increase of three hours a week for the enabled the speedy gumner to exhibit his acquisition of English was obtained for the merable chances, but Rowcroft and Anton | Classes. It was not possible to increase were not a good combination and Mayson | the hours in the First Class, where with seemed to have little in common with Special Classes, 314 hours a week were either, so that all the prominent forward | already assigned to English, and where the play on the Club side was put in by scholars, for eight years, had been exempt-Grayson and Logan, Mayson attending ed from Chinese Studies. It should not be religiously to the men, and getting a good | forgotten that the adoption of this course deal of knocking about from the Cento | was formally recommended by the Inspecback division. Time after time the Cen- tor of Schools in 1887, and mooted by him tos kicked behind, or olse came out so even earlier. weakly in front of goal that the Club backs I Pinckney and Slade played a magnificent of the restriction. defensive game, and Beasley's kicking, positively dangerous had the opposing forwards paid more attention to the ball

was no scoring. The commencement of the first ten minutes of extra time was startling. The navy forwards rushed the ball past the Club backs and half-backs. Steele dribbled across the goal-mouth from left to right, and the assistant right winger dashed up and sent the ball spinning past Gillingham. Back they came from the kick-off, Steele being particularly active and meteoric. He forced a corner, and then just missed scoring. Grayson, Logan and Mayson retaliated with the finest piece of forward play on the Club side, and getting down to the Cento goal Rowcroft just missed scoring. The college. Further the students who are supback kicked out and from the throw in. Mayson scored for the Club. Excitement again rose to faver pitch, and the flagship | either to speak or write fairly well in that representatives, were loudly urgedion, the Club receiving little vocal support. Play was fast and exciting, but no further scoring took place although the Club had undoubtedly the best of the game in its close abundant evidence that they aim at pro-

FOOCHOW TEAS.

THE NEW PROCESS OF PREPARATION. With reference to what has appeared in Colombo papers about the attempt of Foochow tea dealers to introduce new methods. to enable them to compete on something like a footing of equality with Ceylon and Indian teas, a Foothow correspondent sends us the following notes :-

some Foothow teas, made by the new method, partly hand and partly machinemade, had been sent last year to London; appeared, due to the industry of our old and the prices realised were considered scholars; a book on Insurance and two but it was fixed three months ago, and satisfactory. So encouraging were the pared, by Mr. Chan Heyan; and this year shift to favour St. George's Ball. I think results, in point of fact, that a Company Messrs Lo Sing-lan and Mok Lai-chi have a great measure of the success of the late has been formed to manufacture teas by independently published little books on examination may be attributed to your Exmachinery on a grand scale at a place in lents. Peiling.

chants have joined the Chinese in the use of this college have been printed (as all prejudice against the profession of chants have joined the Chinese in the use of this college have been printed (as enterprise, the former holding nine shares they are for private circulation, the word enterprise, the former holding nine shares that might be suggested by and the Chinese eleven shares. The work | Dublished is hardly applicable) at the exis to begin with a capital of \$30,000, but is Notes on the Geography of the Chiness The prizes were then presented by His certain gentleman, I am informed, has been use in various classes, made long age by already selected to superintend the con- different mesters, but suffering from the struction of a building for the reception of which account they were finally revised by them. I have to thank you Dr Wright for so students in Western Janguages, no on Bankes—No, I'm afraid I can't let you the machinery when it arrives. The remains invest. Considerable serving of time kindly asking me to distribute the prizes countered by have the money. You are too much in to be seen how far the enterprise will prove blackboard is thus effected; to say nothing successful, but it is confidently believed it of the prevention of many careless errors will be productive of favourable results and in taking down handwriting that it is likely to load to a revolution in the China les trade.

PRESENTATION OF PRIZES AT _QUEEN'S COLLEGE.

SPEECH BY SIR WILLIAM BOSINSON. This afternoon, H. E. Sir William Robinson presented the prizes at Queen' College. There was a large turn-out parents and friends of the boys. Amongst those present were :- Sir J. W. Carrington, Mrs Bell-Irving, Mrs Belilios, Hon. J. H. Stewart Lockhart, Hon. W. M. Goodman, Mr F. H. May, Rev. R. F. Cobbold Surgeon-Colonel Evatt, Mr W. E. Hunt U.S. Consul: Rev. W. Musson, Mr C. C. Platt, Mr J. W. Norton Kyshe, and Mrs

HEADMASTER'S REPORT. The Headmaster (Dr Bateson Wright read his annual report as follows :-

Kyshe, Mr A. Seth, Mr H. L. Dennys, Mr

Queen's College, 18 January, 1897. The Honourable J. H. Stewart Lockhart,

Colonial Secretary. Sir,-I have the honour to forward the Annual Report on Queen's College for the

the idea that the Chinese had in 1896 the tions-

2.—The falling off (\$3,000) in Revenue On re-starting, the Cento forwards from Fees is quite out of proportion to the Upper School114 217 81 diminution in attendance referred to above. Lower School209 die individual efforts with little combination | by closing two class-rooms and dispensing and less method. Had it not been for the with the services of a Temperary Assistant written answers.

Slade gave the forwards innu- Lower School and Second and Third

4.—To meet the difficulty of ignorance kept their goal intact, and once Gillingham | of their native language on the part of Chihad to punch out. A nice bit of play let | nese boys, the Governing Body proposed Grayson away, but the right back returned; an Entrance Examination, but after a short and the Centos resumed their old tactics experience, the manifest tendency to debar kicking the ball anywhere but into goal, admissions altogether, led to the remove

5.—From the balance of the salaries of when not pressed, was both frequent and the Native Teachers in the Chinese School and Beasley was also a feature of the game, Governing Body approved and recom- fuse full marks to two boys. but it was not always so successful as it mended the increased scale of salaries for importance of which has been urged in my Henorts for some years. A new post of than to the Club men. The whole Clerk was created, to which MrU Hang-kam, of the second period may be characterised as A.A., was appointed; the duties of clerk a duel between the Cento forwards and the having previously been discharged by the Club backs, with very occasional glimpses | First and Second Chinese Assistants, upon of play from the Club forwards. There whose time it was found to make too great the portion selected is uncertain the test is

6.—A Lecture on Education in Burma delivered before the Rangoon Teachers' Association last spring, by a Chinese gontleman. Assistant Secretary to the Chie Commissioner, shows that the educational problems that are engaging attention in Hongkong are not unknown elsewhere. His words are- The constitution of the Education Department in Burma dates only from 1866. One generation has passed away, and literary culture does not appear to be prized among the natives of Burma, beyond the walls of the school or posed to know English, and who have passed high University examinations are unable

7. It cannot be said in Hongkong that English Studies are neglected by students after leaving Queen's College; there is gressive self-improvement. Nor must we forget the little colony of our boys in the Northern Universities, as well as those scattered over the area from Japan down the coast of China and Tonquin, even Singapore and beyond to Pening. A large proportion of these speak and write in the English language admirably, and several of them are anxious to assist their fellowcountrymen in the acquisition of Western ideas; they therefore write for the most part in Chinese, and but little is known of their unostentatious labour. Mr Luke our Second Chinese Assistant, is engaged in bringing out a Second Edition, Revised and Enlarged, of his Bilingual English Gram-I presume that you must have known mar; and Mr Wan, our late Fourth Chinese Assistant, published a Chinese on European and Chinese Civilisation com-

I am informed that a few Foreign mer. it may not be amiss to add that within the mosphere of Charles Dickens, I would beg trol, and it is a most hopeful sign. And expressed in the enormous increase Constantinople. pense of the Government. One of these and Dotheboys Hall. effects of tradition and transcription, bh

> 9. His Excellency the Governor at the Prize Distribution last February, offered

Governing Body, who acted as judges, reported Li Ut and Sin Cheung as writers of College or any other School in this Colony the two best essays. His Excellency accorting Dr Wright. (Applause.) It dingly presented them with the amounts. 10. -Mr Jones has been absent on Neave throughout the year. Mr Jameson and Mr Woodcock went on leave in April, the latter on completion of six years service. Messrs Barolay and Courtney have been Acting Assistant Masters since April and June respectively. Mr Fung Ki-cheuk, A.A., one so satisfactory in some of the higher of our cleverest Junior Chinese Assistants,

as Assistant Compradore." 11.—Our boys paid 33 fees for the Ox- versial matters. I am not a controver ford Local Examinations, but only 24 pre- siglist : I am not an educationist, but sented themselves, equally divided among plain practical man on the Seniors, Juniors and Prelimitary. Of these II or 46% passed; exactly one half in the suggestions I have made to the of the Seniors and the same prepertion of the Preliminary, passed, which may be viewed as satisfactory, being the average of former years. The mark Good which is of paper I had in my hand as next to Distinction was awarded as follows. to 9 boys for Arithmetic, 1 for History, for Shake speare, 3 for Robinson Crusoe, 3 no intention of doing anything of the sort. for Geography, and 1 for Acts. 12. - Acting under instructions from the

Governing Body, I conducted the Annual Examination. Pursuing the practice of 1.—The total number on the Roll was former years I took 100 marks as the course, one is bound to aftere to one's

1896 1894 1896 1894

ing. Looker having to go repeatedly to the of the Second and Third Classes by one The whole staff deserves great credit for half, through causes not under my centrol. steady and careful teaching of which there Two corners fell to the Navy, but both It will take two or three years for the at- is ample evidence even in those cases tendances in the Upper School, where the referred to above where the percentages are had the best of the game, the Club forwards | Fees are highest, to attain their former low. In by far the majority of papers, figure. An economy of \$350 was effected there was none of the drudgery attendant | On the 16th February, 1893, from the upon the correction of ill-digested and badly very spot. I made the remark that

boys examined and passed in each subject and of percentages of passes are here sub-

14.—Remarks on individual subjects:-Reading .- Generally careful and very education is concerned, that no Chinese good. I must still complain of want of teacher, however able and clever (and we imitation in intonation, without which have some excellent Chinese masters here) Reading is morely perfunctory, and loses can teach English satisfactorily; because, the opportunity of being an aid to acquiring as you all know, there are certain letters in conversational power in a foreign language. | the English alphabet that a Chinaman has Colloquial. - Very good in the Upper great difficulty in pronouncing and many School, with the exception of the two sounds it is impossible for him to reprolowest sections of the non-Chinese classes. duce. In one half of this College, I believe Good in the Lower School. Dictation .- With the exception of I. B. VIII., VII., VI., and part of V., the pupils

who utterly failed, very marked improve- never see an English master. I think that ment, chiefly due to more drill in spelling is a matter which ought to come under the exercises, which is much needed, as Chinese | consideration of the Governing Body. As besides confusing vowel-sounds, are per- I said before, it is quite impossible that a plexed with double final consonants. Composition .- Deserves high praise, Boys | can compare with a professionally-trained in the Upper School require however to master who has been taught in England.

utilise laws of Syntax and principles of amquite sure everybody must agree with me Analysis in finally correcting their own in that particular. I hope the Governing Grammer.-Here all the non-Chinese tion in the numbers. I do not understand sections were lamentably weak, otherwise how it comes about. It canny the amilicable the work is of a far higher order of merit to the plague. There is something wrong

History .- Two classes marred what would | will enquire into it. Last year, in my long otherwise have been an excellent record. free. Looker's kicking back to Pinckney after the payment to them of pensions, the In Classes I. A. and N. 1, I could not re- I said that Hongkong was and Geography.—Generally good, a decided is one reason why you should

improvement on 1894 Map-Drawing.—This is a test from memory in the Lower School. The result is It has been prophesied that if ever there is per School, the drawing of a map forms ! one of the questions in Geography, but as severer and but few boys satisfy it. Translation into Chinese. - Lower per- stop If you go by Vancouver, Montreal and

centage than 1894. Translation into English.—This is chiefly spoken all along the line with the greatest mechanical, being memoriter work. Where boys attempt independent translation, they a girdle round the earth in forty minutes are seldom successful, as their ignorance of Chinese leads them to guess-work.

General Intelligence. Considerable im- graph cable, and we will do it also by our provement in the highest classes. Arithmetic. -Good, but comparing the papers which frightened Dr Wright so work of the year with the results of the much-I hope you have got over your examination, the effect produced is disap- fright by this time-contains one or two in-

Algebra. - Good, but exceedingly poor to hear from Dr - Wright's remarks that n non-Chinese sections.

in the three non-Chinese Sections. veral boys being excellent. equaintance with the principles.

in so short a time. Short-Hand.—Non-Chinese boys in all city of these three provinces, there is a establishes the important fact that a large four sections passed a very creditable test University under the control of the Metho- category of cases in which the early and

restricted at present to transcription. Shakespeare. - Very good in I. A. and N. 1. Total collapse in I. B. and N. 2.-I have the honour to be, Sir, Your most croises which were duly reported in our alone. In three instances the bodies of

Gro. H. BATESON WRIGHT.

D.D. Oxon. Dr Wright then said :- Your Excellency. have to thank you for coming, at great personal inconveniences to preside to-day. The date appears to be an unfortunate one, Chinese New Year could not be induced to last year. As, however, it is no secret that 8. While on the subject of publishing. Your Excellency has lately been in an at

the scheme, for obvious reasons, has been Empire, a very useful book by Mr Dealy, Excellency. Owing to pressure on our kept private and details are awanting. A senior Assistant Master the remaining space the prize-list is held over till to-

this Excellency said—Ladies and gentle. Legations in Europa are open to successful this morning. I need not say I have performed that pleasing function with a great deal of satisfaction. Although I have been that the English language is progressing in the stranged at Busing in the Dickens recombly, as Dr Wright says, I am and Peking. I want Hongkong to take as word. sure he will believe me when I say that I prominent a part as these ports are never for a moment, compared him with doing in promoting a knowledge of the Parson Johnson (catechlelog)... Now, Rastwo prizes of 860 and \$25 respectively to the Chinese boys of this Institution, who the Chinese boys of this Institution, who should write the best and second best blood of the British End and Machinery just to hand; also the later Fifty years. Soven Made Institution, who should write the best and second best best and second best best progress of the British End of this progress of the British End of this progress of the British End of the Britis

this Colony want to know is not that there master has ever presided over Queen are half-a-dozen boys here fit for these Oxford Local certificates and have taken them away; but we want to know what evident that my surmise is periectly correct. You have all heard Dr Wright's report read: I have not read it myself, and you think that I- have been remiss say it is very satisfactory. Too much weight | Wilcox (Secretary). in not reading it. But I was very glad to has hitherto been attached to these Oxford i hear that the results of the recen Local Examinations. I hope Dr Wright and examinations had been extremely good and classes. I did not read the report because resigned in April on getting an appointment | I saw that in the second and third paragraphs Dr Wright had entered into controof education, as I think I have shown Governing Body who supervise this College along with Dr Wright. I noticed when came in that Dr Wright looked at this roll he evidently thought I intended to make as long a speech as I did last year, but I have reason I gave for Dickens' success in life | Commerce were read. I may say that this educational question. was that he loved his work and was as Dr Wright observed, is a problem. determined to excel in it. That is is not only a problem in Hongkong, the spirit which should animate but it is a problem in India. here, and I trust you will have many years Africa, Australasia, &c. of success as head of this College. Reply acknowledging stated this is possibly the last time you will address this College. I wish to state that since the first time your Excellency dis-

breaking up the Cento combination. not from fear of the plague itself, as was it as a phenomenal success, had it not been boys of all nationalities. It is too soon, I by by the suggestions made by your operation of the Vagrancy Ordinance (No. I not, but my opinion is that the salu tory and beneficial effects of it will be seen in the very near future. second case, the Governing Body de-Northern Schools, I cannot say anything Total Number Percentage cided to give the time which about that, only that our boys who go up saved by this alteration which I have just North take all the high places straight referred to, to give it up solely to away in the North country schools. I teaching of English-English collequial have to thank- your Excellency for your speaking. Now it is too soon, as shown address to-day, and also to ask you to tell Dr Wright's report, to decide whether this is a good move or not: But I think the Governing Body will have to grapple with February 22. this question systematically. I do not think it is sufficient to deal with it by Dr Wright, for what you have said in reisolated efforts in the higher classes only ference to me and to my possible dothought all English imparted in this Col-13 .- The usual Tables of the number of loge should be imparted by Englishmen-

I am right in saying, in Chinese classes

Chinese master, however good he may be,

a universal language in common use every-

where it will be the English language

way of Suez Canal for Hongkong, you will

find that English is spoken by nine-tenths

Winnapeg, you will find that English

fluency. Shakespeare talked about putting

but the English people have done it in

forty seconds by putting down the tele-

Auglo-Saxon language. This bundle of

teresting statements. I was very pleased

(Applause.) . If you start from London

parture from here, and the interest I have taken in this College. very glad to hear that our boys who go up to the North take the highest posts, by English teachers, and that they might should like some of them to remain in the be assisted, if necessary, by Chinese Colony. The holidays commence to-day teachers; but it seems to me, who am and all you boys should be in your simple, plain, practical man so far as places again on Monday 22nd February; when you do come back I hope you will devote yourselves to your lessons as well | visible means of support. as you have done in the past, and that | future success will attend you.

> The customary cheers were then called for and heartily given.

> > (Rangoon Gazette.)

LATE TELEGRAMS

NEW YEAR HONOURS. onors are as follow :-Mr Cave, the Consul at Zanzibar, to Companion of the Bath.

Sir Frank Lascelles to be Grand Cross of | false imprisonment.

of the Bath. Body will see also to the cause of the reduc-Mr Roo. Judge of the Punjab; Mr Carringwat, Charlettee of Hongkong; and Dr

Kynsey, Inspector General of Hospitals,

in the State of Denmark'; and I hope they Ceylon, to be Knights. - THE ASHANTI EXPROITION speech to which I have already referred. London, January 2.—Prince Christian Victor has been promoted to be Major for always going to be a British Colony. That his services in the Ashanti expedition.

being made in honor of the criminal high- tute of resources. wavman Cecil Rhodes, at the Cane. of the people in every port at which you Kruger, who was deeply moved, refrained to the care of the Government.

from replying. DUELLING IN GERMANY. liam has issued a Cabinet order for the your most obedient servant, new rules for the settlement of officers' disputes by a Council of Honour, the object being to restrict duelling in the German

PATENT MUSIC hoxes, Violins (fine models) Mandolines, and Strings of all kinds,

Robinson & Co. so many boys were still studying Eng. Our Rangoon exchanges contain long so-Entelid .- Excellent in II., A. very good lish, and one had written a book. But counts of the devastation in Bombay due in I.A., and III. A. Good in I. B. Bad what I want to know is-Are we in to the plague epidemic. It is now stated Hongkong doing as well as they are that the death of the Chief Sanitary Inspec-Book-Keeping .- Taught by Mosers Bar- doing in the other ports of China? Is this for was due directly to plague, but a Dr low and Barclay, is good; the work of se- great college, with its magnificent hall, and Manser, who had been actively engaged Some non- great staff of teachers, doing all we can to- among the plague, patients, succumbed Chinese boys tried this year, but though | wards spreading the English language? | the disease. M. Haffkine, the bacteriolonone of them passed, they showed a fair They are doing a great deal in Shanghai, gist, has addressed the Municipality advocat-Nanking and Peking, and it is possible ing experiments with his antitoxic serum French .- Introduced as a substitute for that the Chinese nation is awakening to The Times of India considers that Dr Latin in non-Chinese sections, cannot be the advantages of an English education. Manser's death has a significance from a expected to have attained a high standard 'We are glad to note also,' says a Shanghai professional point of view which must be newspaper, 'that in Nanking, the capital regarded as of the highest importance. dist Episcopal Mission, whose work dee. predominating symptoms are plainly reserves more than a passing notice. It has spiratory are really cases of bubonio recently held its First Graduation Ex. plague. For the case by no means stande Nanking correspondence. These exercises hospital patients who were reported to attracted the attention of the whole have died of pneumonia, have been exofficial body of the city, and at a re. amined during this last few days and ception held especially in their honour bacteriological investigation in each has suggesting the above course. leading representatives of both the civil made it clear that, though there was and military officials visited the University a complete absence of bubonic sympand were entertained at dinner. The toms, the plague was the real cause of Viceroy Liu Kun-yi, who is supposed to be death. Cases of this kind are described in onything but favourable to foreigners and all medical works upon the plague, and their methods, himself called at the there is now indisputable proof of Dr Man University and presented prizes amounting ser's regretted death being the latest and to \$100 to the graduating pupils. This is probably the most carefully diagnosed, and Sia Richard Temple Ronnie, late Chief undoubtedly the first time in the history of that they are occurring in Bombay. We Justice of her Majesty's Supreme Court for the new education in China when so high have the melanchely consolation there. China and Japan, has been appointed to an official has taken such an interest in the fore of knowing that the distrust act temperarily as Special Judge of her work of an institution under foreign con- which we have week after week Majesty's Supreme Consular Court at if you turn on a few pages more you will shown in the respiratory diseases column of ance with a report from the President of the case is greater, insamuch as these cases plated, and shows that 2,400 tons of stone force Tung Wen College in Peking the Famen have not the more obvious symptoms of have been crushed realising 1,806 ounces Weather officers in theree will henceforth do more plague and are probably diagnosed merely of smelted gold. This is an excellent wind stain to encourage students in the study of the sits as pheumonis, fever or broughitis. Hence up to the years work, the average being and sciences. Mr Oliver who, I believe, they are not reported as plague and no almost as good as that of the preteding two is the head of the College- points out disinfection or other effective precaution is months. To get 15 dwin, a ton out of two

OF COMMERCE.

A monthly meeting of the Committee was held at the Chamber Rooms on the 16th the average result of the teaching has January :- Present : Messrs A McConachio been on the majority of the pupils here. (Chairman), N. J. Ede, St. C. Michaelsen. Judging from Dr Wright's report, I should N. A. Siebs, T. H. Whitchead, and R. C

THE INCREASE IN TELEGAPH RATES. Letters acknowledging receipt of a copy the Governing Body will not look upon me of the report of the proceedings at the as a carping critic. They must believe in all special meeting on the 19th September last events seem to have coloured it, when utterances I have given here—and this to protest against the action of the Joint related by Mr Taufer, who adopted her as will perhaps be the last time I shall speak Telegraph Cos. in raising their rates to before the boys of this College-I have Europe, America, and Shanghai, from the only been actuated by the desire President, Straits Settlement Association, Taufer, who resides at No. 8 Western to extend the usefulness of this College, London; from Liverpool, Leeds, and and when I go home, or to some other Blackburn Chambers of Commerce : Colo-Colony-if I have the luck to be nial Secretary, New Zealand; Board of promoted to one-I assure you I shall Trade, Toronto; Tacoma Chamber of Comwatch the progress of this College with merce, Winnipeg Board of Trade, Wellingthe greatest possible interest. In con- ton (N.Z.) Chamber of Commerce, Colonia clusion, boys, let me impress upon you | Secretary, Fiji; San Francisco Chamber of the necessity for great 'industry in Commerce; Department of Trade and Comyour work. I was lecturing on morce, Ottawa; Newport (Mon.), Scattle, Dickens the day before yesterday, and the Brisbane, and Dunedin (N.Z.) Chambers of

Read letter from Acting Manager, Joint you boys who are being taught in this | Telegraph Companies, dated 29th Decemvery fine and useful College. I have to ber, informing the Chamber of reductions | Company, retiring from this position in thank you Dr Wright for asking me to be in their tariff to Eastern countries, South Reply acknowledging receipt of same

Dr Wright-As Your Excellency has | was sent on the 30th December. THE 'CHINGTU' CASE. It was announced that, under date 5th

January, a letter had been addressed to the tributed the prizes here up to the pre- Government, pointing out the hardships ensent time the School has benefited large- tailed on shipowhers and masters by the Excellency. In your speech on the first | 12 of 1888), as evidenced in the case of the | as has been stated of mixed parentage, but occasion I think the subject referred to master of the British steamer Chingtu was colloquial. It was paid attention to, recently heard in the Police Court, and and there was a marked improvement which | suggesting amendment of the Ordinance. pleased your Excellency. With regard to The Secretary stated that no reply had your Excellency's remarks about these yet been received.

The following is a copy of the letter !-Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce.

Hongkong, 5th January, 1897. Sir, -I am directed by my Committee to bring to the notice of the Government. the Boys that the helidays begin now, what seems to them a defect in the law and the school resumes on Monday, relating to impecunious persons landed in this colony as embedied in Ordinance No. His Excellency-I am very much obliged | 12 of 1888 known as the Vagrancy Ordin-

In November last the master of the British steamer Chingtu was fined \$600 for arrival in port from Kobe. The defendant sought to justify his action by pleading the penalties, to land, or to permit to be landed, in the colony any persons without

sibility on shipowners and masters, and places the latter on the horns of a dilemma: land, they become responsible for their maintenance, besides being liable to pay in London: January 1.—The New Year's | hand, they detain such persons on board

master of the Chingtu, liable to a fine for The Committee would therefore respect-Mr Edwin Palmer, Knight Commander | fully suggest the amendment of the Ordinance, first by giving masters of ships the ne-Sir Joseph Lister and Lord Kinnear to | cessary powers to detain stowaways on board. over to their Consuls or to the Government: Ordinance which holds shipowners responsible, six months after landing, for passenentails hardship on the shipowner, and Pretoria, January 2.—Judge Jorrison, might readily be modified to refer to those addressing Mr Kruger on New Year's Day, persons only whose passages had been paid

With resard to Asiatio stowaways, my Judge said he was being fêted not only as Committee venture to think that the responhe expressed fears as to the future. Mr | cease upon their handing such persons over

Trusting that this suggestion will com-London, January 6 .- The Emperor Wil- Government .-- I have the honour to be, sir, R. CHATTERTON WILCOX,

> TRANSITOPASSES IN EWANGSI. date 14th January, forwarded for information of the Chamber a copy translation of a proclamation issued by the Ewangsi Lekin Authorities on the lates of his endeavour to attack Rizal subject of transit passes in that province

THE LIGHT DURS. Read letter from Mr Ritchie, Superintendent of the P. & O. S. N. Co., on behalf of the Agents and Representatives of Companies and firms owning vessels trading to and in the Far Esat, enclosing copy of a petition addressed to H. E. the Governor against the proposal to permanently levy a tax of 22 cents por ton for Light Dues on. versels calling at this port, and of the acknowledgment thereof by the Colonial

petition the cordial support of the Chamber, and to this and it was decided to address a letter on the subject to the Government and send copies of both that and the petition to various Chambers of Commerce in the East, other British Colonies, and in the United Kingdom.

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thousand four hundred tons at a time when owing to the effect of floods, no stone was being sent to the mill from the Raub Hole lodes, shows that the big reals at Bukit collent bulk orushings. The return for the two months represents over 27,000, or may over \$60,000. — I'm aport Free Press.

THE WIDOW OF DR RIZAL

A WOMAN WITH A PAST. The story of the life of the young woman

who is stated to have had such a dramaticmarriage with the late Dr Rizal, on the ove of his being shot for complicity in the Philippine Rebellion, loses much of the glamour and romance with which recent his daughter at a very early age. Mr Street, West Point, has had a most varied After taking part in the Civil War in America, he sailed from San Francisco to China. He was an engineer by profession, and for a number of years served on some of the const and river steamers, afterwards enlisting in the Hongkong Police Force, in which he did service for four years, retiring with the rank of sergeant. He was then appointed Chief of the Fire Brigade of the Hongkong Fire Insurance 1804 on account of failing eyesight. Mr Taufer is now almost stone blind, but fortunately he is otherwise in very comfortable circumstances enjoying the fruits of what he assured us was hard-earned means.

The girl who was been brought so prominently before the public recently is not is of purely Irish extraction. She is in fact a daughter of the regiment, her father having served with the 28th Regiment in Hongkong. She was born on the 9th August, 1876, and is therefore slightly over twenty years of age. The girl by some unfortunate circumstances having been left unprovided for, Mr Taufer adopted her as his daughter, and gave her a good educa-

During the two years Mr Taufer has suf-

fored from cataract he has consulted

numerous medical men, in order that he detaining eight Japanese stowaways on might have his sight restored, but without board his ship for thirty-six hours after her avail. Finally, he was advised to take a trip to the Philippines, and it was Vagrancy Ordinance, which forbids the whilst on this journey that he first made master of a merchant vessel, under heavy the acquaintance of the late Dr Rigal. In the latter part of September, 1894, he departed to the Philippines, leaving My Committee are of opinion that the Josephina to follow by a later steamer. He law as it stands imposes a great respon- stayed in Manila during the months of October, November, December and Jan-If they allow stowaways or destitutes to mary, where he was joined by Josephina, who, he states, had during his absence addition all costs and charges incurred in from Hongkong made pretty free with connection with them; if, on the other his money, and had behaved in a manner until they have communicated with the hardly reciprocal of the attention which Mr authorities they are, as in the case of the Taufor had bestowed upon her. She spent. a large sum of money which had been entrusted to her keeping in a lavish purchase of jewellery and in other extrayagances. When she arrived in Manila she preafter arrival in port for a reasonable time, to sented herself to her adopted father dressed afford them an opportunity to communicate in all this finery, and on Mr Taufer being with the authorities and hand such stowaways informed by the woman who acted as his and, secondly, by revising that clause of the | nurse of Josephina's extravagance he could not refrain from reprimanding her. This gers who have paid their own passages to matter having been eventually settled. the colony. This clause undoubtedly Mr Taufer and his adopted daughter went down to Perin on the Island of Dapitan. There is no built house in this place, only bitterly complained of the ovations now for them, or who were known to be desti- a number of matsheds, but there is a Roman Catholic stone church. Here it was that Dr Rizal made their acquaintance, the here of to-day but of to-morrow, and sibility of shipowners and masters should being called in to operate upon Mr. Taufer's eyes. Mr Taufer states that he was greatly enraged at the treatment he remend itself favourably to the attention of the ceived at the hands of the doctor. Dr Risal cut one of his eyes, and stated he would complete the operation, but he had never done anything more, and the eye operated upon is now sightless, while the The Colonial Secretary had, under other eye is sensitive of a shadow passing over it. Mr Tauler was so enraged at the Doctor's treatment that he vehemently rewith a razor but was only prevented by the strenuous efforts of five soldiers. Mr Tagfer stayed here only about a month and his adopted daughter frequently requested to be allowed to marry Dr Rizal, which request he indignantly refused. Josephina used many threats in order to min his cousent to the union, some, of which were of a particularly degrading character. Afterwards Resolved to reply promising to give the she stated that she was married to Dr Risal, and Mr Taufer believes this to be the case, and the mock marriage that was carried out previous to the expection was performed under the compulsion of the priests. Altogether this woman, who it is The Chairman read a letter from the Vices | stated has gone to the rebel stronghold at Chairman (who was unable to attend) Imus, can hardly be regarded, considering her former character as related by one so closely connected with her, as anything approaching to the illustrious prototype with whom her name has recently been associated. Mr Taufer returned to Hongkong in January, 1898.

Hongkong Register.

P. G. Figg. First Assistant. Hongkong Charrestory, Jon, 22 1894. Quotations

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MARITIMES. NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre oz Steamship Tigre, and from Bordesux, ex s. s. Ville de Lille, in connection with above Steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with exception of Opium, Tressure and Vuluables, are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongrong and Kowloon WHARF AND GODOWN COMPANY, LIMITED, at Kowloon, whonce delivery may be obtained

immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before 5 p.m. To-DAY (TUESDAY), requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Tues-DAY, the 26th Instant, at Noon, will be - subject to reat and landing charges. All Claims must be sent in to me on c before Tuesday, the 26th Instant, or they

will not be recognised. All Damaged Packages will be examined on Tuesday, the 26th Instant, at 3 p.m. No Fire Iumrance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, January 19, 1897. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL,

LIMITED.

AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship Oopack 1. having arrived from the above Ports, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed

that their Goods are being lauded at-their risk into the Godowns of the Honokono & KOWLOON WEARE & GODOWN Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. . No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all

Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon on the 28th Instant, or they will not be recognized. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Thursday, the 28th Inst., at 3 p.m.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 28th Instant, will be subject to rent. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before Noon, To-DAY.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Hongkong, January 21, 1897.

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 For further Particulars, apply to THE MANAGER. New Victoria Hotel. Hongkong, November 24, 1896.

NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

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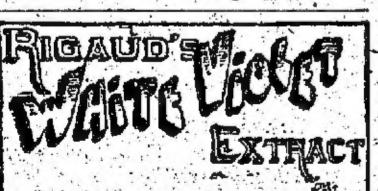
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Hongkong, September 3, 1896. THOMAS'S GRILL ROOM

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Hongkong, January 22, 1897,

EASTERN & AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

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FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

The Co.'s Swamship Capt. T. R. GALSWORTHY, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant,

For Freight or passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, January 20, 1897. CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY,

LIMITED.

FOR ILOILO. The Co.'s Steamship Kweiyang. Capt. Oursebrings, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 23rd Instant, at 4 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, January 21, 1897.

FOR NEW YORK VIA SUEZ CANAL. (To FOLLOW THE S.S. Asloun, Claverhill AND Radley.) The Steamship

Captain Erris, will be despatched on or about the 25th January, 1897.

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Hongkong, January 15, 1897. FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG.

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SIEMSSEN & Co., Agents. Hongkong, January 19, 1897.

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The Steamship Port Adelaide,
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30th January, 1897. S. S. Energia, to sail about 14th Feb., 1897. S. Strathleven, to sail about 28th Feb.,

Warrack' Steamer, to sail about 15th March 1897. For Freight or Passage, apply to

DODWILL, CARLILL & Co., Hongkong, December 22, 1896. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY:

FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL. The Co.'s Steamship Myrmidon, Captain GARDNER, will be despatched as above on MONDAY, the 1st February.

For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agents. Hongkoug, January 16, 1807,

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. JAPAN-EUROPE LINE.

MONTHLY SERVICE. SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, PORT SAID, MARSEILLES, LONDON, AND ANTWERP

The Co.'s Chartered S.S. Captain — will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 6th February, at 5 or Passage, apply to the Agency For Freight or Passage, apply to NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, Japuary 14, 1897,

Shipping.

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DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY,

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND TAIWANFOO. The Co.'s Steamahip

Captain Docques, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 24th Instant, at Daylight. For Freight or Passage, apply to

General Managers. Hongkong, January 21, 1897.

The Steamship Monmouthshire, Monmouthshere,

Will be despatched hence
for VICTORIA, B.C.,

FREIGHT AGENT, Oregon Ratiway and Navigation Co., Portland, Oregon. For further information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

SHEWAN, TOMES & Co.,

Sailing Vessels.

Penobscot. Capt. Maguider, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, November 30, 1896. NOTICE TO SHIPPERS.

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MELOHERS & Co.,

Hongkong, November 28, 1896. FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

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Hongkong, December 7, 1896.

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Inland Sea, Yokoat noon. hama and H'lulu)

139 Coptic (via Shaughai, Inland Sea and at noon. Yokohama) Gaelie (via Shanghai,) Nagasaki, Kobo, SATURDAY, March 13,

Steamship BELGIO will be despatched for SAN FRANCISCO, pid SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA, YOKOHAMA and HONO. LULU, on THURSDAY, the 4th February, route. Passengers to EUROFE may proceed

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break their journey at any point en route. Through Passengers Tickets granted to England, Franco, and Gormany by all trans-Atlantic lines of Steamers, and to the principal cities of the United States or Canada. Rates and particulars of the vacious routes may be obtained upon application.

Military, Diplomatic, and Civil Services, to European officials in service of Chius and Japan, and to Government officials and Passengers who have paid full fare, reembarking at San Francisco for China or Jupan (or vice perso) within one year, will

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All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received as the Company's Office until 6 p.m. the tay previous to sailing. Censelar Invoices to accompany Cargo destrued to counts beyond dan Francisco.

Company No. 1. Praya Contrac

Atrent. Gengkong, January 16, 1897,

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DOUGLAS-LAPRAIK & Co.,

THE OREGON RAILWAY AND

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Professi Sailings from Hongkong, 1897. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION.) Monmouthshire | Saturday | 13th February. TAKING PASSENGERS AND CARGO FOR UNITED STATES AND CANADA AT THROUGH RATES.

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The British Barque REHEERG, Master, will load here for the above Port, and

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Inland Sea, Yokoat roon. hama and H'lulu)

Special rates (first class only) are granted to Missionaries, members of the Naval,

be allowed a discount of 10 per cent. This

in de United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Conwill lector of Costonie, Ban Francisco. For further information as to Freigh

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STEAM FOR STRAITS, OEYLON, AUSTRALIA, INDIA, ADEN, EGYPT, MEDITERRANEAN PORTS, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON. Through Bills of Lading issued for BATA. VIA, PERSIAN GULF, CONTIN-

THE Steamship ROSETTA, Captain F. N. TILLARD, carrying Her Majesty's Maile, will be despatched from this for BOMBAY, &c., on THURSDAY, the 28th January, 1837, at Noon, taking Passengers and Cargo for the above Ports. Bilk and Valuables, all Cargo for France, and Tea for London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into

ENTAL AND AMERICAN PORTS.

London. Purcels will be received at this Office intli 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. contents and value of all packages are equired. Shippers, are particularly requested to

steamer proceeding direct to Marsvilles and

tote the terms and conditions of the Comany's Bills of Lading. For turther Particulars, apply to H. A. RITCHIE,

Superintendent. . & O. S. N. Co.'s Office, Hongkong, January 14, 1897.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, BUEZ, PORT SAID, NAPLES, GENOA,

ANTWERP, BREMEN & HAMBURG,

PORTS IN THE LEVANT, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS; ALBO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS,

PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL be ready to load for the above Port and will AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGERS AND LUGOAGE.

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N.B .- Cargo can be taken on through Bills of Lading for the principal places in

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with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and OARGO, will heave this port as above, calling at NAPLES and GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, on SATURDAY, the 30th Instant, Oargo and Specie will be received on beard until 5 p.m., on Monday, the 1st February, and Parcels will be received (at the Agency's Othes Junia Noon, on MONDAY, the 1st January. Contours of Packages are required. No Parcel Receipts will be signed for less than \$2.50, and Percels should not exceed Two Feet Cubic in measurement.

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MELOHERS & On. Hongkong, January 9, 1867.

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP AND RAILWAY COMPANIES. VIA INLAND SEA OF JAPAN. Nagasaki, Koba, Tuesday, Feb. 23, [THE attention of Passengers is directed to the very cheap rates offered by this

Line to the Pacific Coast and to the In-TERIOR and EASTERN CITYES of the UNITED STATES and CANADA and to EUROPE, HONGKONG TO LONDON, 8400. Excellent accommodation, First class Table. Doctor and STEWARDESS carried. HUNGKONG TO NEW YORK, \$850. The Railroad travelling is second to none on the American Continent. Magnificent Seenery of the ROOKY and CASCADE MOUN-TAINS. The YELLOWSTONE NATIONAL PARK

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ernment Services.

PROPOSED SAILINGS FROM HONGRONG. (SUBJECT TO ALTERATION). Brasmar | 3,601 | Tuesday . | Feb. 9. Tacoma 2,549 | Tuesday . | Mar. 2. Victoria | 3,167 | Tuenday . | Mar. 23. Olympia | 2,608 | Taesday . | April 13: Brasmar ... 3,601 | Tuesdey . | May 4.

HE Steamship BRAEMAR, Captain Accept Eunorgan and Chings RISKS at Porter, sailing at Noon, on Current Rates. TUESDAY, the 9th February will proceed to VICTORIA (B.C.) and TACOMA (Wash.), vid BHANGHAI, KOSE and YOKOHAMA. Through Bills of Lading issued to Japan, Pacific Coast Points, and to Canadian and United States Points. Consular Invoices of Goods for United States Points should be in quadruplicate and one copy nited be sent forward by the steamer to the care of The Freight Agent, Northern Pacific Railroad, Tacoma, Wash. Parcels must be sent to our Office (with address marked in full) by 5 p.m., on the day previous to sailing. For turther information as to Passage or Traight, apply to

DODWELL, CARLILL & Co.

Hongkong, January 18, 1897.

General America

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U. S. Mail Line. PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

VIATNLAND SEA OF JAPAN AND HONOLULU.

PROPOSED SAILINGS TROM HONGKONG. China (via Shaughai,) Nagasaki, Kobe, Tuesday, Jan. 26, Inland Sea and at noon.

Yokohama) Peru (yin Shanghai, Nagasaki Kobe, SATURDAY, Feb. 13. Inland Sen, Yokoat noon, hama & Honolulu) City of Rio de Janeiro

Kobe, Inland Sea,

Y'hama & H'lulu).

(via S'hai, N'saki, (TUESDAY, March 2,

THE U.S. Mall Steamship CHINA will be despatched for SAN FRAN-CISCO, via SHANGHAI, NAGASAKI, KOBE, INLAND SEA and YOKOHAMA, on TUESDAY, the 26th January, at Noon, taking Passongers and Freight for Japan

HUNOLULU, and passengers are allowed the Continent are given choice of. to broak their journey at any point on route, principal cities of the United States or China and Japan Governments. Canada. Rates may be obtained on appli-

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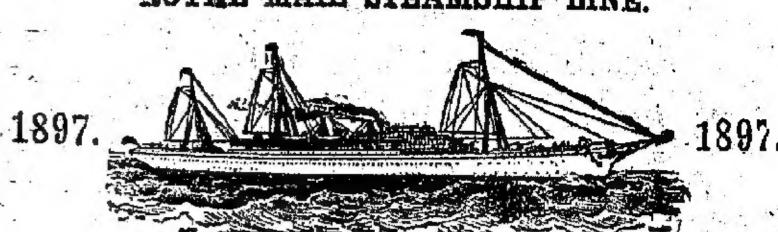
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ORPHANAGE. PRIZE DISTRIBUTION. The annual distribution of prizes to the pupils of this school took place on Thurs-

day. The proceedings were of a private Mr Cobbold, who distributed the prizes, said-Very likely some of you wonder why we are not following the custom of previous years in inviting our friends to be present and providing them with a musical entertainment. Well, there are two reasons. In the first place, there has been no examination this year, in consequence of the illness of Dr Eitel, and so we have no Examiner's report to present to our friends. The second reason is that many of the scholars have already gone home for the New Year holidays. I am pleased to find by the way in which you have all cheered the prize winners that you are pleased with their success. We cannot give a prize to every boy in the school; if we did so, then they would not be prizes at all. In awarding marks in the Scripture Examination, I found that in every class the first boy had only a very few marks more than the second and third boy, and I have no doubt this is the case in all the subjects. So, many of those boys who have not received any prizes must console themselves with the thought that the prize-winners are only a little better than they are, and I hope every boy in the school will make up his mind to do his best during the coming in them, which was appreciated by all. year. Although, as I have said, there has been no examination this year, we know by making donations to the school. At Henry, but it was well trained and well

hope you will all be in your places and the object of which was to ready to commence work punctually. HEAD MASTER'S REPORT FOR 1896. scholars numbered 196 (last year 167); the | himself had had the honour of commanding average attendance was 31.76 (the highest for 14 years. The next trophy was one of any year except 1895). Owing to the presented by himself for volley firing, and demand for students for the University and | which went to C Co., under Capt. C. S. the Medical School at Tientsin, our higher Prichard. Not only was this Company the classes were unusually small, but to come best for volley-firing in the Regiment, but pensate for this the lower classes were very the first of the whole of the regiments i full. In-July 13 boys sat for the Oxford | England-the best volley-firing section, in-Local Examinations. 7 passed (namely, 2 | deed, of any quartered in the United King-Seniors, 3 Juniors, 2 Preliminary), or 53.8 dom; that shooting spoke for itself. Great per cent. The percentage for Hongkong praise was due to the officers and men conwas 43.8 and for England 72. The boys corned, who had thus added one more of this school are seriously handicapped by escutcheon to their many honours and not being able to take the classical and trophies. The Regiment had won several French or German papers, which earn so since it had remained at home, and he many marks in England. English being would read out a few of those worthy to be to them a foreign language, we have to recorded. In 1893, proceeded Colonel Andevote to it the time that claewhere is given | derson, the 58th won the General Eyre to Latin, Greek, French, etc. E. S. Ford Shield at Bisley (C.-S. Phillips and C.-S. was specially distinguished in religious Fricker); while Capt. Pritchard was 2nd for knowledge and in English. No other the Armyand Navy Cup (Bisloy); C. S. Phil-· Hongkong candidate was 'distinguished.' lips 16th, and C.-S. Fricker 21st (corres-Three boys have entered for the local ponds to 'Imperial.'). In 1894 the 58th examination of the London College of won the Sartorius Challenge Cup (Revol-Music, but the results are not yet known. ver) at Portsmouth; and was 4th in the The annual school examination did not Regimental Trophy match at Aldershot, take place, as H.M's Inspector was too ill being beaten only by the Royal Marines, to attend. In accordance with H. E. the H.M.S. Excellent, and Royal Engineers. Governor's kind promise at our last prize. Then, C.-S. Phillips made the highest score giving, the Government has partly levelled (98) in the 1st stage of 'Imperial' at Bisley; and greatly improved the West Point and Capt. O. S. Prichard, Capt. Smith and Companies round the border, also the folrecreation ground; this has been much Capt. Lloyd shot in the Army Revolver lowing self-explanatory inscriptions (--appreciated by the boys, but like a well- Eight at Bisley. In 1895 the 58th was the known character in fiction they ask for best shooting regiment at home; was more. The ground is very small, but second in the Young Soldiers' Match, A.R. might easily and with great advantage be A.; 2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, and 8th, in the enlarged. Our best thanks are due to Sir Inter-Company Volley Match, A.R.A.; John Carrington, Hon, W. M. Goodman, and the Regt. also took five prizes in the and Mr E. R. Belilios, C.M.G., Mossrs, 'Imperial.' Thus, commented the fine old

Sharp, for kindly providing the prizes. EXAMINER'S REPORT. School in their lessons from Holy Scripture in the latter Capt. Lloyd Was 1st in the and am glad again to be able to report | team, and Capt. Prichard, 2nd with the favourably upon the work done. The two same score (129). Then, too, Capt. C. S. junior classes were examined orally, and Prichard won the N. L.A. Medal at Alderanswered very well. The other classes shot, the 58th won the Sartorius Cup wrote their answers, the upper boys in each (Revolver) at Portsmouth; the Officers' class with much credit to themselves and Revolver Team Match at Aldershot; the their masters. There were fewer feeble Revolver Team Match (all ranks, service in bronze, while beneath is a silver-plate papers than usual, and in each class the revolver) at Aldershot; 2nd in Inter-Dis- inspribed :second and sometimes two more boys came triot Match at Aldershot (7 of team of 8 very near to the first, showing that there | belonged to '58'); 2nd in Brinsmead at had been considerable competition amongst Bisloy; and 3rd in New Langton Cup at them. On the whole the work is satisfac. Portsmouth: There were, moreover, no tory .- R. F. Cossoun, M.A. - Hongkong, 3rd class shots in the Regiment that year. 14th January, 1897.

Oxford University Local Examinations - | had been received from the Horse Guarda Seniors, W. Elphinstone, U. Hayasuki | this morning from Capt. Mayne, District Juniors, E. S. Ford (distinguished in Eng. Inspector of Musketry, Home District. lish and in religious knowledge), G. Ben- and Secretary Army Rifle Association. It ning, J. M. Heahing; Preliminary, W. was sent to the Adjutant (Capt. A. A.

Li Mau-fong. VI-1, W. Reiners; 2, Sz figure of merit of the Battalion this Ho-kee. V .- 1, Li Chi-on 2, P. Tregillus, year, and they still hoped to hold the posi-Scripture Prizes - VII -R. H. Waller, strive, one against the other, to do its best; years 1387-8-9.

Euclid and Physical Geography, 5z Ho-kee. regiments to be selected for foreign given in the table.

V.—Algebra and Physical Geography, J. service should be the regiment that shot Olson. IV.—Algebra and Euclid, Chan the heat, and so they (the 58th), might 23rd to 2 Consider themselves first on the list for ser-

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PRESENTATION OF SHOOTING TROPHIES. A most interesting event in connection with the 'Old 58th 'Regiment, now stationed in Jersey, took place at Fort Regent, reports the Jersey Times of Dec. 16, when a Challenge Shield and Trophy were duly presented to the best shooting companies by His Excellency Maj.-General E. Hopton, C.B. (Lt.-Governor). The headquarters of the Regiment, under the command of Major Bolton, paraded at noon, and, after some preliminary movements formed into line facing south at 12.10 o'clock, when His Excellency rode up. Among those present were that gallant old veteran, Col. D. G. Anderson, formerly commanding officer of 'The Old Steelbacks,' also Capta-E. H. Griffith, D.A.A.G.

We might here say the Anderson velleyfiring prize fell to C Co. (which also won the inter-company volley-firing contest throughout the Army), and the Bond award for individual firing to F Co. Major Bolton offered a few well-choson

introductory remarks, saying they were present to witness the presentation of the Bond Shield, and Anderson Cup to the two companies which had won them after-a keen competition and by extraordinary good firing. He thanked His Excellency on behalf of the Regiment, for coming, and Colonel Anderson, their late commanding officer, for the interest he had always taken Colonel Anderson, speaking in a loud clear voice, said that over and over again that the work of the school is quite as good when he had the honour of commanding as in any previous year. The results of the | them he had impressed on them the necessity Oxford Local Examination are highly satis- of good shooting. He was glad to say they factory, and, considering the number of had taken that to heart. A soldier in the boys in the school, we have done better field who could not shoot was a useless than any other school in the colony. I encumbrance; he had no faith nor confidespecially congratulate Edward S. Ford, ence in himself, in his rifle, or those around who is 'distinguished in Scripture and him; and so ought to be at home. A ritle in English, both subjects of the highest in a soldier's hand ought to be like his importance. Let me urge you all to walking stick, a sure support, a sturdy follow his example, and obtain distinction | weapon of attack and defence. He supnot only in examination, but also when posed each man in the Regiment had a you leave school. This brings me to sweetheart. Well, he should let his rifle another subject. There are none of be his best girl; and if he could not, then the old boys present here to-day, but he should certainly make it his second best. you will tell them what I say. The In his time a rifle used to kick hard, and old boys have always shown a regard for | had other defects; and they used to have the school, and on more than one occasion | very bad sights. The rifle of fo-day was not have given practical proofs of this regard so graceful a weapon as the old Martini-

one period during the past year, when we tested, had a good temper, and did not kick wanted money for a special object, the old | -and, altogether, was a very sweet weapon. boys came forward and subscribed the sum | They should also let every bullet, whether required. I trust you boys, when you leave aimed at a target or in defence of their school, will never forget the place in which | honoured country, find its billet. A high you have received your education. - Never, standard of efficiency could only be mainforget while you are in the school that its tained by steady practice, and paying attengood name is in your keeping, if any boy ion to the instructions of the officers, backed. misconducts himself he brings disgrace not | up by firm nerve and dogged determinaonly upon himself but upon his schoolmates, tion-which would make a soldier worthy the school, and the masters. The school has to wear Her Majesty's livery and win a an excellent reputation; parents and guar- name to be recorded in the annals of their dians are glad to be able to send their boys | Regiment with its unblemished pedigree. here, knowing they will be well educated Then, and then only, could a soldier be a and carefully looked after. The Committee faithful servant of his gracious mistress, desire me to say that they have again to and become worthy of laurels bestowed on thank Mr and Mrs Piercy and the masters | him. He regretted the absence of his old for the excellent way in which the boys friend Major-General Bond, who took a have been looked after. The holidays warm interest in and retained the kindliest commence to-day, and the school will re- feelings for the old Regiment. He was glad open on Monday, February 22nd, when I to see them recipients of the Shield forward men to fire for the Queen's Cup. It had been won by F Co. School was taught on 253 week days ; the | commanded by Capt. Smith, and which he

Fung Wachuen, D. Gillies, Ho Tung, T. | veteran, they took more and more yearly-Jackson, A. Mackie, W. Quincer and G. till there would be nothing left to take by and bye. In 1896, Capt. C. S. Prichard and Capt. Lloyd shot in the Army Eight, Capt. E. O. Smith I have examined 73 boys in the Diocesan and also in the Army Rovelver Eight;

The 58th were 2nd and 6th in the revolver grand aggregate at Bisley. A telegram Lloyd) and read as follows: "C 1st, D 3rd. Class Prizes. - VII. -I, E. S. Ford : 2, B oth, E 6th, A 10th, and G 20th. The

to do his best. Every commany must so Police Basin at Taim Sha Tsui during the Mr C. Harris H. Moore. III. -1, J. E. Piercy; 2, J. companies, every man should form toge dinary Spring Tides, which has been found Mr W. Hay R. Wong. H.-R. M. Watson, I.-B. ther to beat every other regiment, not only to be 2 feet below mean sea level. ing, Chai Po-sin. Fife and Drum Band- vice. He knew, however, that the Old 1, F. Mester 1.2, W. J. Clerihew. Good Steelbacks' would ever do their duty when called upon to serve the Queen and country. Colonel Anderson's Depiring

marked attention by all ranks, despite the unfavourable clemental conditions. The Lieux Covernor said that Col. Anderson had touched on all points which he less in a fine I was going to make, to, sooing the unfortu- Tree is in a fine I mare those pontal eards, said Mrs Jonks, was going to make, so, seems the unity of the part of the half state of the weather, he would not we at mean the state of the state of the weather, he would not will be at a seem to be a state of writing paper from her deak, greatly pleased to be on parado with them. Thus, as no take a large sheet of writing paper from her deak, greatly pleased to be on parado with them. Thus, as no take a large sheet of writing paper from her deak, greatly pleased to be on parado with them. Thus, as no take the market of the posts that marking and to present the trending by the large the large that market and to present the trending by the large the large that market and the present the trending by the large that the large that market and the present the trending by the large that the large th no probably wan, also to use Col. And proposit

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ter connected with musketry. He had

seen them when they had had a long march

both before and after firing, and he had

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4. From Harbour Master's to the P. & O. Co.'s Office.

5. From P. & O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.

7. From Navel Yard to Blue Buildings.
8 From Blue Buildings to East Point.
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Firebrand	gunbeat 2nd class	1	36	12,000	Captain E. P. Jones	Hongkong
lrafton+	twin-ecrew cruiser, 1st class	260	6	4000	Lieut, A. Gillespie	Hongkong
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on Juan de Austria	Spanish cruiser	500	9	3500	Capt Serebrennikii	Negasaki
kidemak,	Russian gunboat	1200			Capt. Ramon Rochiquet Freijillo	Manila
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Manila.	- Spanish transport	1200		1400.	Commander Androff	Yokobaroa
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